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SUBJECT: ESTONIA CONSIDERING CARR CANDIDACY FOR STANDING
COMMITTEE

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(SBU) On July 27, we delivered reftel points to Veikko Kala, MFA Desk Officer for the International Organizations and Regional Cooperation Division, to seek support for Steve Carr's candidacy to the International Red Cross and Red Crescent's Standing Committee. Kala thanked us for the points, but said that the MFA has not made a decision on whether it would support Carr's candidacy. However, Kala said that the MFA would take Carr's candidacy under serious consideration, and a decision would likely be made by the end of September.

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